

The Town of Los Gatos and Los Gatos Chamber of Commerce invite you to

Learn • Engage • Lead

APPLICATIONS FOR THE CLASS OF 2019 ARE BEING ACCEPTED NOW THROUGH AUGUST 31, 2018.

Learn

Each session offers participants the opportunity to become more familiar with the Town of Los Gatos and its role in Silicon Valley. Sessions include presentations on Town Departments and services, as well as a variety of community organizations that are vital to the health, safety, education, comfort, and well being of Los Gatos.

Engage

Participants interact with community leaders, industry professionals, volunteer groups, and one another to build a stronger network while adopting strategies to become more effective through community engagement.

Lead

Graduates of Leadership Los Gatos move forward as stronger leaders inspired to participate in our special community and eager to effect positive change.

Leadership Los Gatos is open to those living and/or working within the Town of Los Gatos.

The cost of the program is \$400 per participant and includes all program activities and lunch at each session.

Applications and resumes may be submitted online:

https://losgatos.seamlessdocs.com/f/Leadership2018

The deadline to apply is Friday, August 31, 2018. Applicants will be notified of their status during the week of September 17, 2018. If you have questions about Leadership Los Gatos or the application process, please contact the Chamber of Commerce at 408.354.9300.





Program Schedule & Guidelines 2018 - 2019

Thank you for considering Leadership Los Gatos! The program is designed to educate, engage, and encourage participants to find leadership roles in our community. Participants will be given the opportunity to view local government from the inside out, engage with community leaders and special interest groups, and challenge themselves in new ways while strengthening their leadership skills and community network.

DATE	SESSION TOPIC
10/12	Introduction to the Town of Los Gatos, Local & Regional Government, and Town Bus Tour
11/9	Finance, Economic Vitality, and Land Use
12/14	Health Care and Santa Clara County Fire
1/11	Skill Development Presentation
2/8	Police Services, Library, and Education
3/8	Community Connections
4/5	Parks & Public Works and Resource Management
5/10	Effective Communication and Civic Engagement, Graduation Ceremony



About Leadership Los Gatos

Leadership Los Gatos sessions are held on the second Friday of each month, from 8:15 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., unless otherwise noted.

Each session includes a networking breakfast and lunch. Participants must complete the following to be eligible for graduation:

- Participate in at least seven full Leadership sessions and complete assigned tasks
- Attend at least one Town Council Meeting
- Attend at least one Planning Commission Meeting
- Attend or view online the 2018 State of the Town Address and/or the swearing in the of the new Mayor
- Participate in a Police Department Ride Along